

THE CHANUTE TIMES.

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The old soldiers of this section favor Tom Anderson of Tokeka for U. S. pension agent.

The pops are now in power. Look out for the reform movement that is to sweep over Kansas.

Helbo Governor Leedy! the good templar's of Kansas, elected you Governor and want you to get after the joints and joint drug stores.

Frank Daster who claims that "the rights of the user are paramount to those of the owner of property," is now chief justice of Kansas.

It is now Governor Leedy, and we presume he will get right after the violators of the law, especially the peohibitory law. All right Governor, take a little breathing spell and then go after them. You have our permission and the temperance people who elected you demand that you get to work at once.

The salaries of county attorney and county superintendent are too high, compared with those of other officers and in proportion to the work done. Will our friends the populists make any effort to reduce them? Of course yes; this is one of their anti-election promises and they will not fool us as the "corrupt old parties" have done.

The populists last fall made many promises of reform in case Leedy and a populist legislature should be elected. They got everything in Kansas and we are now waiting patiently for said reforms. A reduction of salaries is needed and has been promised and we shall wait with a reasonable degree of patience for the enactment of such a law.

The Willie Sells matter still attracts some attention among newspaper people, especially as the W. C. T. U. of Kansas City Kansas, acting as a court of review have decided him not guilty of murdering his family some years ago. Sophia Boyce was sent here some time back to ask our people to sign an application for his pardon; of course she got some signatures—she could have gotten twice as many to sign a petition to hang him. A jury of twelve men decided that he was guilty and 90 percent of the people in the vicinity in which the Sells family were brutally murdered believe the verdict to be correct. Willie Sells is spoken of by the boys who knew him, as cunning and sneaking, having little to do with other boys. Let him remain where he is. None of the near neighbors or people who were on the grounds directly after the murder would sign a petition for his pardon.

W. D. Street of Decatur, was elected speaker of the lower house of the Kansas legislature and his first act was to appoint his leading opponent for the honor, W. F. Brown of Pratt county, chairman of the committee on railroads. The populists have passed what they call the maximum freight bill, reducing all freight rates about one third, in one house or the other at the last three meetings of the legislature, but as the republicans have continuously held power either in the upper or lower house, they have succeeded in killing the bill each time when it was passed. Many populists have been opposed to the bill but they felt safe in passing it knowing that the republicans would kill it. Now the pops have control of both houses and we shall see whether they were in earnest in their "reform" idea or simply passed this bill for buncomb at former sessions. Line up gentlemen on one side or the other; your constituents are watching you.

A Modest Request.

Now that the Populists are in full control of the government and all its institutions, and having the places so far filled by members of their own party and having many fat places at their disposal, their ally's, the Democrats, who have been playing second fiddle all the way through but who contributed their mite toward the election of Leedy and the rest of the pop state ticket and made it possible

for Leedy to bring several hundred of his followers to the pic counter, are asking that, as a reward for their help in electing a set of officers on a platform distasteful to them, they be rewarded by being allowed to name a United States senator to represent the great state of Kansas for the six years. It is true the pops vetoed their nominee for vice president and helped give the electoral vote of Kansas to Bryan and Sewall, but as the country at large vetoed the latter by almost a million of votes, there is no pie for the democrats. Well, let them fight it out but we'll wager a 100 cent silver dollar against a bushel basket full of Pepper's whiskers that the next U. S. senator will not be a democrat. As long as the pops can get offices, they are willing to give the democrats the glory, but at this point friendship ceases. A pop give up an office, oh no, that is not what they are here for. Greed for office caused their party to be born. Office is their Alpha and Omega and a fellow who is waiting around thinking they will break their "time honored" custom and overlook a play like a U. S. senator is folling away his time. The pops can elect the senator and state printer without the aid of the democrats and they will do it.

The Outgoing Administration

In retiring from office the Republican state officials hand over to their Populist successors every department and public institution of the state in a condition admittedly better than when they received it from the Populist administration of 1893-'94. There has never been, from the hour that the Republicans officials assumed office, a scandal in a single institution in their charge. There has never been a breath of suspicion against the business capacity or the honesty of the men appointed to manage the public institutions. A comparison of the record of the administration just closed with the Lewelling reform administration just preceding is a comparison between light and darkness, good and evil, proven ability and proven incompetency, a clean, business-like and honorable record with a record that reeked with corruption and echoed and reechoed with scandals, brawls and dissensions utterly demoralized to discipline and efficient government. The state government was not only ably and honestly conducted under Governor Morrill and his fellow state officials, but it was conducted at less expense than under the previous administration by something like \$200,000.

Such a record is one of which the Republican party may well be proud and that the new administration may well emulate. The outgoing state officers will retire to private life with the consciousness of duties faithfully discharged and of the respect of every well informed citizen of Kansas. In view of the unprecedented coalition of all anti-Republican parties against them, all hungering and thirsting after the spoils of office and already threatening one another with vengeance unless compacts for the fair division of the spoils are fulfilled, the 160,000 votes received by the outgoing officials are a single tribute to their faithful service and a proof of the confidence and respect of the business men and tax payers of the state.—Topeka Capital.

Fresh goods received weekly at the K. C. Cash Grocery. 1-15 tf

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Sheriff's Sale.

In the District Court of Neosho County, Kansas: James M. French, Plaintiff, vs. W. W. Work, Henrietta Work, Thomas Martin, G. W. Lindsay and John McClusky, Defendants.

By virtue of an order of sale to me directed and delivered, issued out of the Seventh Judicial District Court of the State of Kansas, sitting in and for Neosho County, in said State, I will, on the 15th day of February, A. D. 1897, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the court house door in Erie, in the County and State aforesaid, offer at public sale and sell to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, the following described real property situated in Neosho County, Kansas, to-wit:

The north half of the southeast quarter of section fourteen (14), township twenty-nine (29) south, range eighteen (18) east, and the west half of the southeast quarter of section one (1), in township thirty (30) south, range seventeen (17), east of the 9th P. M.

Said property to be sold as commanded by the said order of sale and in pursuance of the judgment in the above entitled cause.

Given under my hand this 13th day of January, 1897.

C. F. PRANGE, Sheriff of Neosho County, Kansas. WM. E. HARKIN & S. C. BROWN, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

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GEO. H. BROWN, M. D., U. S. Examining Surgeon, Neosho Co. Health Officer, M. K. & T. R. R. Surgeon.

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Official statement of the financial condition of the
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at Chanute, Kansas, at the close of business on the 19th day of December, 1896.

RESOURCES.	LIABILITIES.
Loans and discounts on personal and collateral security.....\$14,145.63	Capital stock paid in.....\$ 5,000 00
Overdrafts.....916 94	Interest.....1,242 29
Furniture and fixtures.....630 52	Exchange.....227 68
Expense account.....1,174 56	Individual deposits.....21,792 26
Cash and sight exchange.....13,791 58	Time certificates.....2,387 00
Total.....\$30,639 23	Total.....\$30,639 23

State of Kansas, County of Neosho, ss:
I, G. N. Lindsay, cashier of said bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, and that said bank has no liabilities of any character whatsoever not set forth in said statement.

G. N. LINDSAY, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 24th day of December, 1896.
B. F. SHINN, Notary Public.
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Attest—
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